

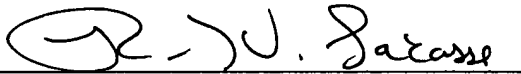
**Remarks/Arguments**

Claims 1-3 and 5-36 remain in the application. There are no changes to the claims at this time. In acknowledgement of the request made by Examiner, a terminal disclaimer has been prepared and submitted with this response.

**Please charge any additional fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 50-1142.**

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are allowable, and Applicant requests reconsideration of the present application.

Respectfully,



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